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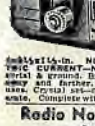

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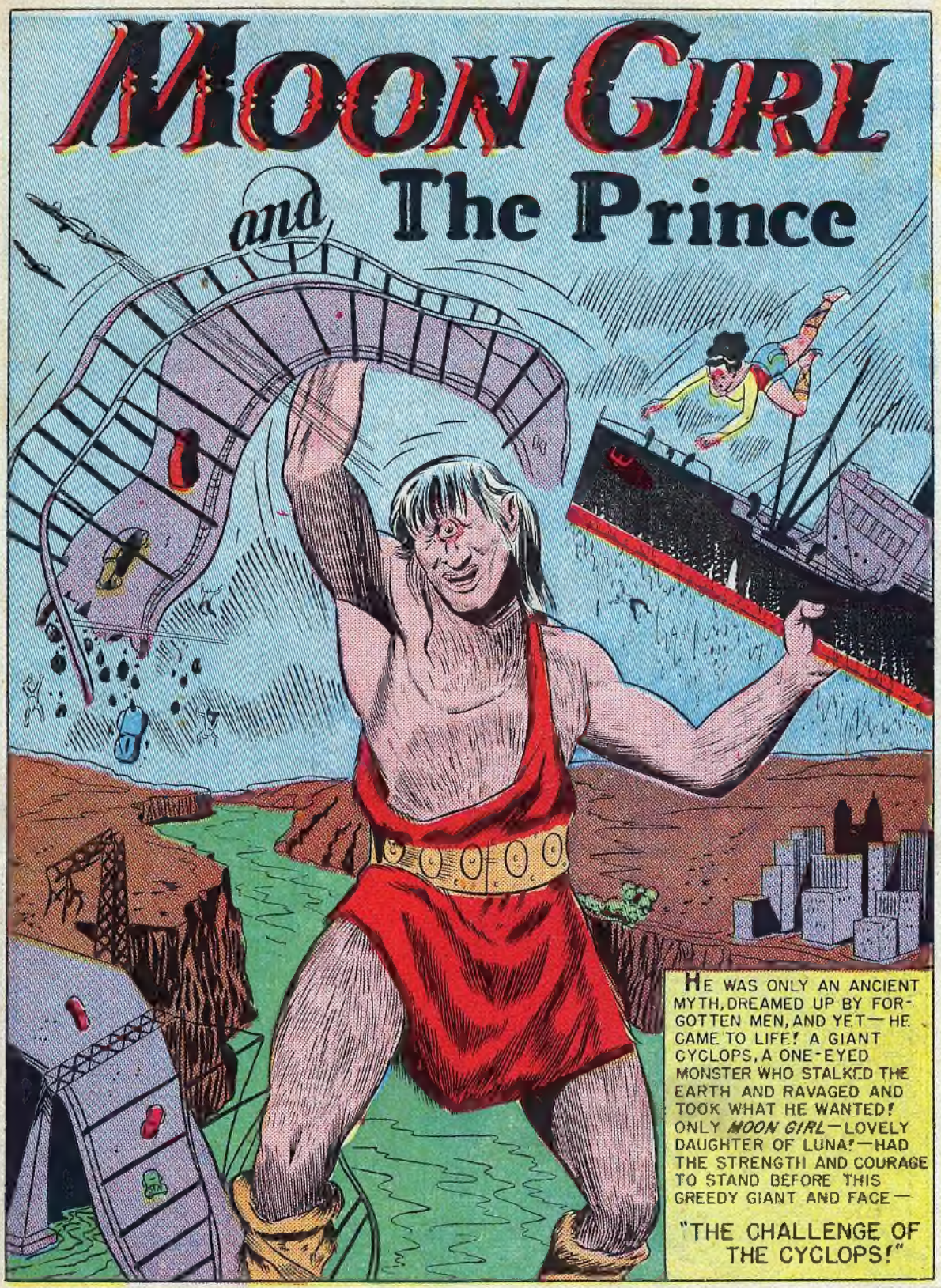
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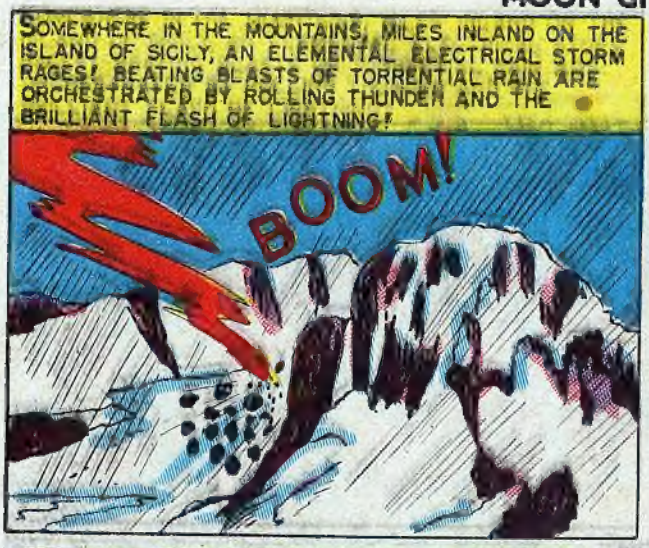
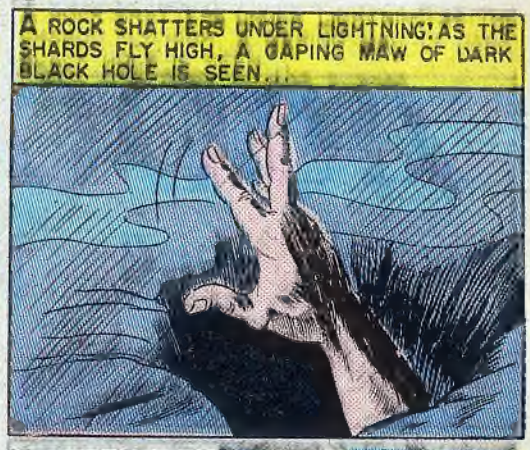
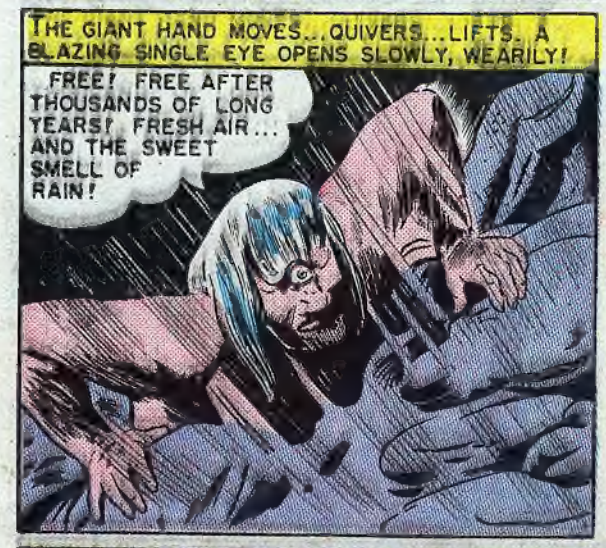
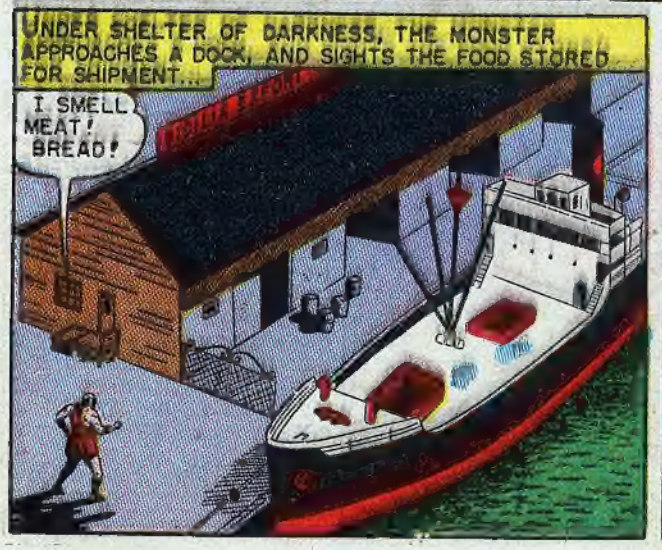

SOMEWHERE IN THE MOUNTAINS, MILES INLAND ON THE ISLAND OF SICILY, AN ELEMENTAL ELECTRICAL STORM RAGES! BEATING BLASTS OF TORRENTIAL RAIN ARE ORCHESTRATED BY ROLLING THUNDER AND THE BRILLIANT FLASH OF LIGHTNING!
BOOM!


A ROCK SHATTERS UNDER LIGHTNING! AS THE SHARDS FLY HIGH, A GAPING MAW OF DARK BLACK HOLE IS SEEN...


THE GIANT HAND MOVES...QUIVERS...LIFTS. A BLAZING SINGLE EYE OPENS SLOWLY, WEARILY!
FREE! FREE AFTER THOUSANDS OF LONG YEARS! FRESH AIR... AND THE SWEET SMELL OF RAIN!

IMPRISONED SO LONG...WITHOUT FOOD...SEALED IN THAT CAVE BY ULYSSES... MUST FIND FOOD. FOOD!


UNDER SHELTER OF DARKNESS, THE MONSTER APPROACHES A DOCK, AND SIGHTS THE FOOD STORED FOR SHIPMENT...
I SMELL MEAT! BREAD!

AFTER THIS FOOD I SHALL CURL UP SOMEWHERE AND SLEEP!
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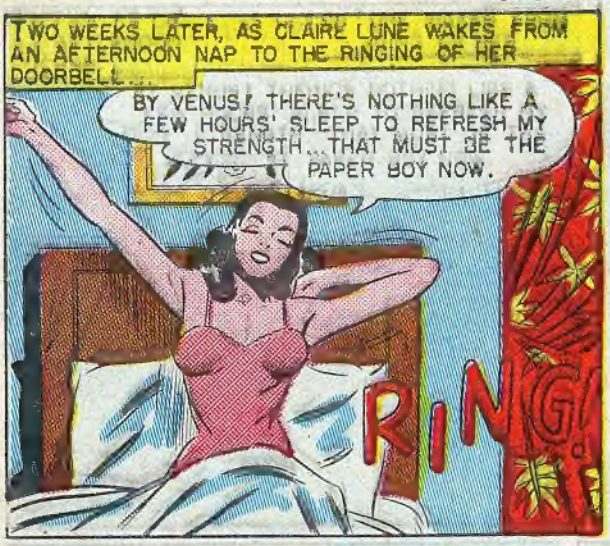
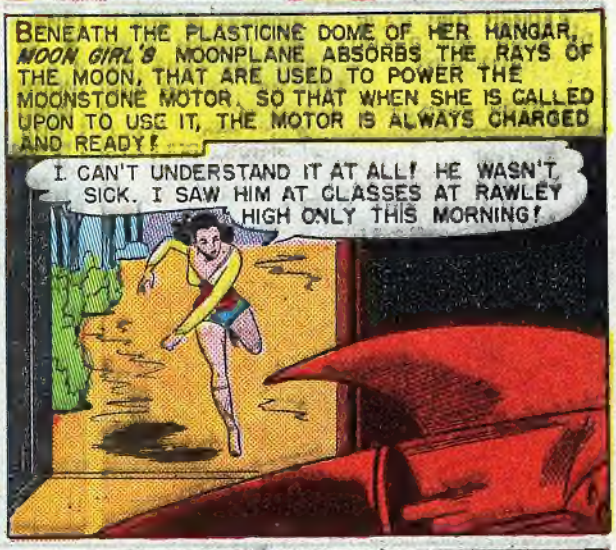
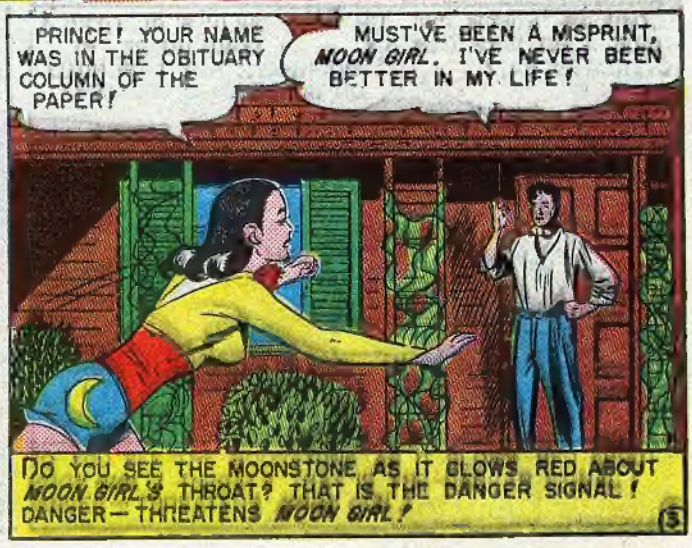

TWO WEEKS LATER, AS CLAIRE LUNE WAKES FROM AN AFTERNOON NAP TO THE RINGING OF HER DOORBELL...
BY VENUS! THERE'S NOTHING LIKE A FEW HOURS' SLEEP TO REFRESH MY STRENGTH...THAT MUST BE THE PAPER BOY NOW.
RING

PRINCE MENGO...DEAD! HIS NAME'S HERE IN THE OBITUARY COLUMN...!

HELLO,HELLO? OPERATOR, CAN'T YOU POSSIBLY GET ME LIONEL MANNING'S HOME? OHHH...THE PHONE DOESN'T ANSWER AT ALL? THANK YOU...


BENEATH THE PLASTICINE DOME OF HER HANGAR, MOON GIRL'S MOONPLANE ABSORBS THE RAYS OF THE MOON, THAT ARE USED TO POWER THE MOONSTONE MOTOR. SO THAT WHEN SHE IS CALLED UPON TO USE IT, THE MOTOR IS ALWAYS CHARGED AND READY!
I CAN'T UNDERSTAND IT AT ALL! HE WASN'T SICK. I SAW HIM AT CLASSES AT RAWLEY HIGH ONLY THIS MORNING!

I DON'T SEE ANY SIGNS OF ACTIVITY. I'D BETTER LAND AND FIND OUT IF THE PRINCE IS ALL RIGHT...OR JUST WHAT'S HAPPENED!


PRINCE! YOUR NAME WAS IN THE OBITUARY COLUMN OF THE PAPER!
MUST'VE BEEN A MISPRINT, MOON GIRL. I'VE NEVER BEEN BETTER IN MY LIFE!
DO YOU SEE THE MOONSTONE AS IT GLOWS RED ABOUT MOON GIRL'S THROAT? THAT IS THE DANGER SIGNAL! DANGER—THREATENS MOON GIRL!
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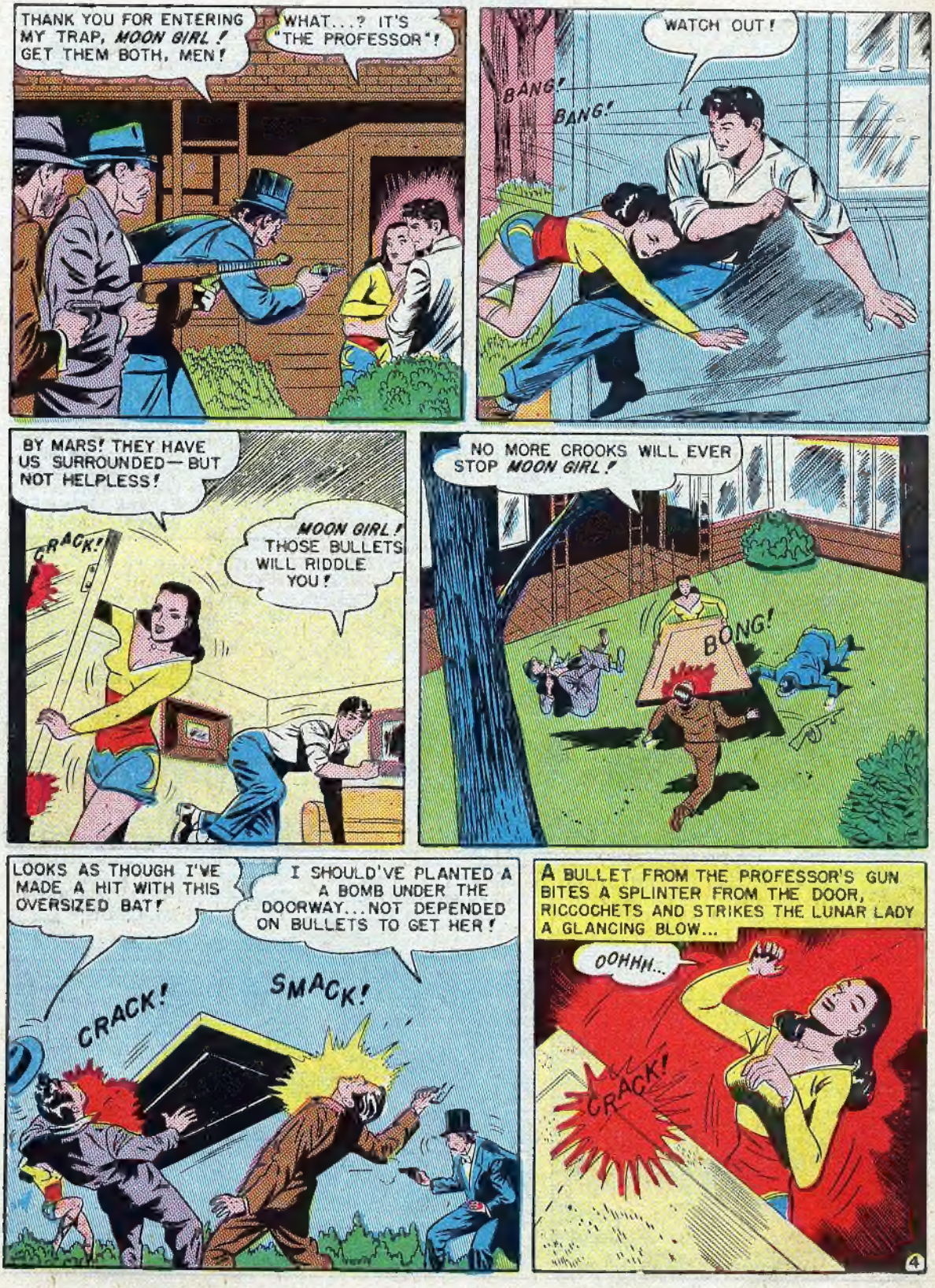
THANK YOU FOR ENTERING MY TRAP, MOON GIRL! GET THEM BOTH, MEN!
WHAT...? IT'S "THE PROFESSOR"!
BANG!
BANG!
WATCH OUT!
BY MARS! THEY HAVE US SURROUNDED—BUT NOT HELPLESS!
CRACK!
MOON GIRL! THOSE BULLETS WILL RIDDLE YOU!
NO MORE CROOKS WILL EVER STOP MOON GIRL!
BONG!
LOOKS AS THOUGH I'VE MADE A HIT WITH THIS OVERSIZED BAT!
I SHOULD'VE PLANTED A A BOMB UNDER THE DOORWAY...NOT DEPENDED ON BULLETS TO GET HER!
CRACK!
SMACK!
A BULLET FROM THE PROFESSOR'S GUN BITES A SPLINTER FROM THE DOOR, RICCOCHETS AND STRIKES THE LUNAR LADY A GLANCING BLOW...
OOHHH...
CRACK!
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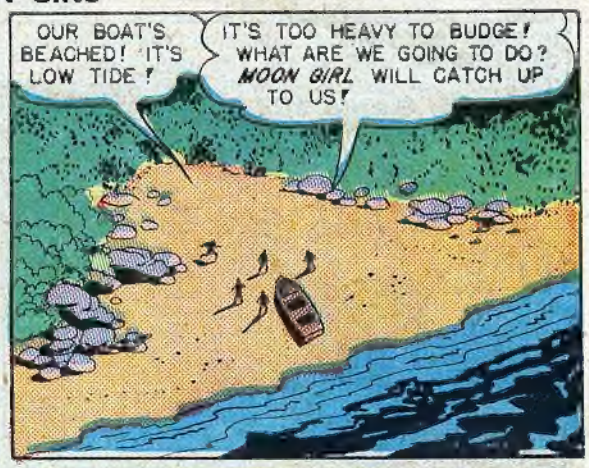
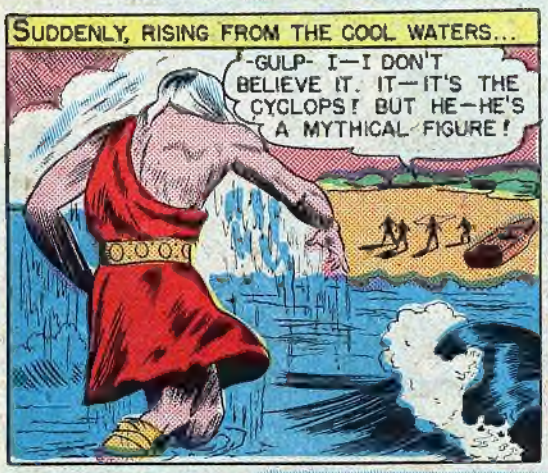
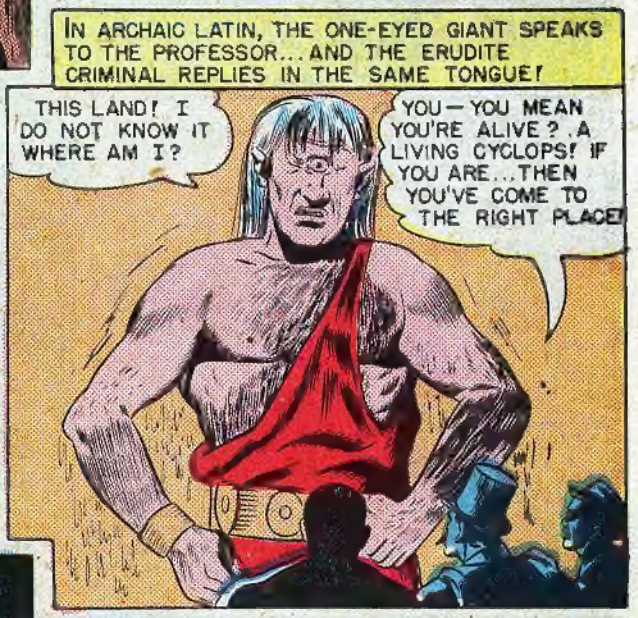
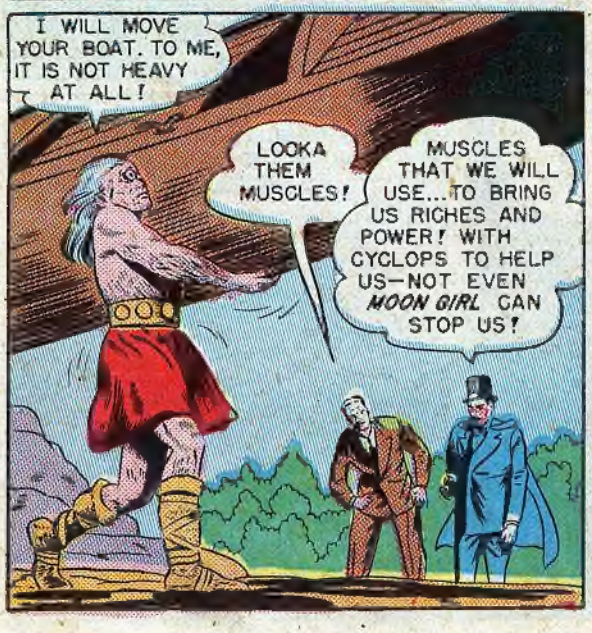
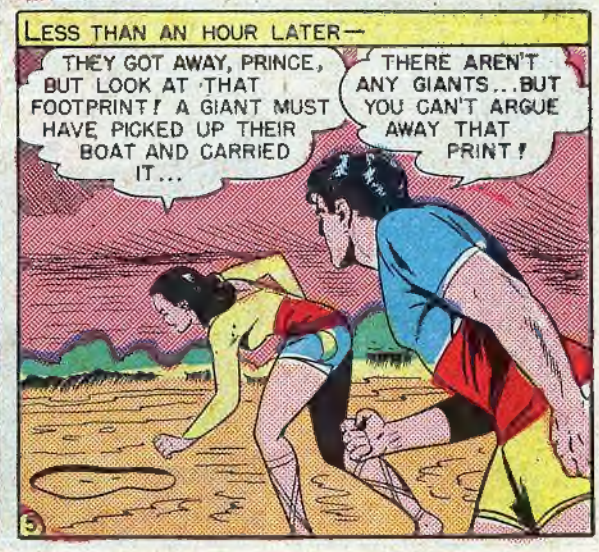
WE'VE GOT TO HURRY. IF SHE COMES TO... THERE'S NO TELLING WHAT SHE'LL DO TO US!
-PUFF- -PUFF- YOU'RE REALLY BEATIN' GUMS ON THAT, PROFESSOR!


OUR BOAT'S BEACHED! IT'S LOW TIDE!
IT'S TOO HEAVY TO BUDGE! WHAT ARE WE GOING TO DO? MOON GIRL WILL CATCH UP TO US!


SUDDENLY, RISING FROM THE COOL WATERS...
-GULP- I—I DON'T BELIEVE IT. IT—IT'S THE CYCLOPS! BUT HE—HE'S A MYTHICAL FIGURE!


IN ARCHAIC LATIN, THE ONE-EYED GIANT SPEAKS TO THE PROFESSOR... AND THE ERUDITE CRIMINAL REPLIES IN THE SAME TONGUE!
THIS LAND! I DO NOT KNOW IT WHERE AM I?
YOU—YOU MEAN YOU'RE ALIVE?. A LIVING CYCLOPS! IF YOU ARE...THEN YOU'VE COME TO THE RIGHT PLACE!


I WILL MOVE YOUR BOAT. TO ME, IT IS NOT HEAVY AT ALL!
LOOKA THEM MUSCLES!
MUSCLES THAT WE WILL USE...TO BRING US RICHES AND POWER! WITH CYCLOPS TO HELP US—NOT EVEN MOON GIRL CAN STOP US!


LESS THAN AN HOUR LATER—
THEY GOT AWAY, PRINCE, BUT LOOK AT THAT FOOTPRINT! A GIANT MUST HAVE PICKED UP THEIR BOAT AND CARRIED IT...
THERE AREN'T ANY GIANTS...BUT YOU CAN'T ARGUE AWAY THAT PRINT!

IN DAYS THAT FOLLOW, A MAD, DISTORTED FORM OF LIFE RUNS WILD ALONG THE EASTERN SEABOARD! A SINGLE GLOWING EYE, RED-RIMMED WITH HATE, BLAZING WITH GREED, IS A BEACON TO THE UNDERWORLD!
STEEL DOORS AREN'T STRONG ENOUGH TO TEST MY MUSCLES!
KR-AAAACK!
THIRD NATIONAL BANK
CARRY IT OUT TO THE CAR, CYCLOPS!
HE LAUGHED AT POLICE BULLETS...
HA! HA! HA! HA! HA!
HE'LL HOLD 'EM OFF WHILE WE GET AWAY!
NOTHING IS TOO STRONG FOR CYCLOPS! I AM STRONGEST THING IN THE WORLD!
MEANWHILE, IN HER LITTLE LABORATORY, MOON GIRL MAKES PREPARATIONS...
DAUGHTER OF THE MOON, HELP ME! GRANT ME STRENGTH, THROUGH THE MOONSTONE, TO FIGHT THE ONE-EYED MONSTER!
FOR TEN NIGHTS I'VE HUNTED CYCLOPS, AND HAVEN'T FOUND HIM. MAY JUPITER AND MY MOONSTONE BE MY GUIDE TONIGHT!
WITH THE MAGIC MOONSTONE GLITTERING AND GLISTENING IN THE SILVERY BEAMS OF THE MOON, THE LUNAR LADY FOLLOWS ITS DANCING PATH TOWARD—
STEEL GRATING! BAHHH! IT IS NOT STRONG ENOUGH TO PREVENT ME FROM SMASHING IT!

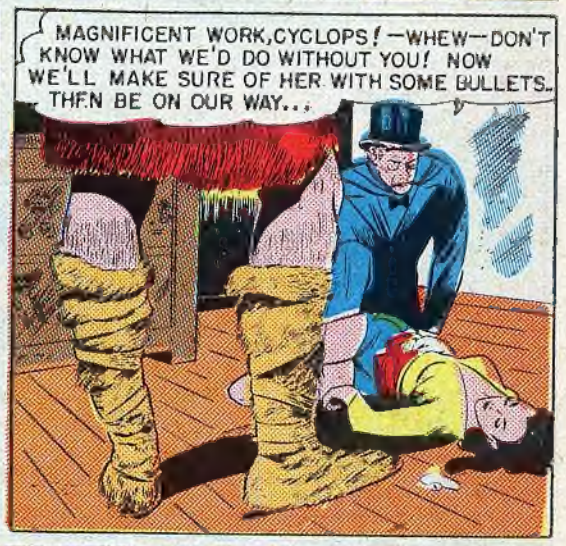
MOON GIRL

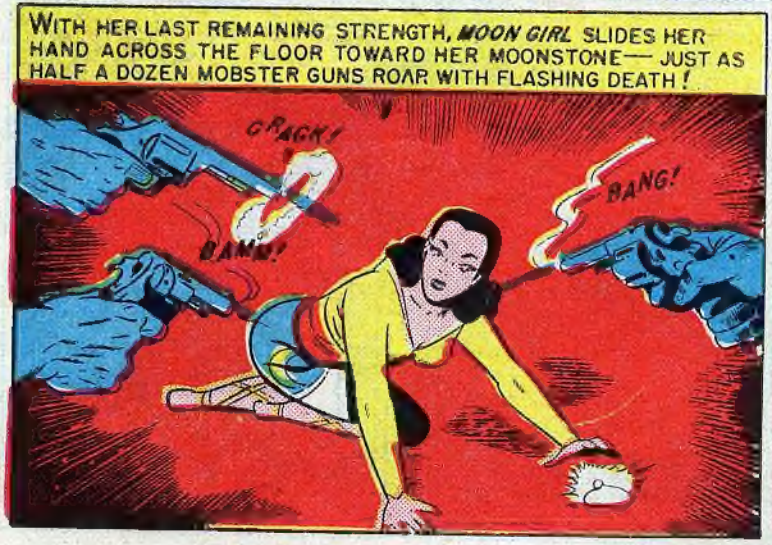
BOY, WHAT A DEAL!
PIPE THE SPARKLERS! LEMME GET A HANDFUL OF THEM!
'AN IF DA COPPERS COME, WE GOT DA BIG BOY TO HANDLE 'EM FOR US!
SUDDENLY, AS IF FROM MIDAIR THE PLUMMETING FORM OF MOON GIRL ROCKETS DOWNWARD..
YOU BOYS ARE GOING TO GET THE 'TIME' OF YOUR LIVES RIGHT NOW!
WHA-?
IF YOU LIKE JEWELS SO MUCH—HERE'S A GEM OF A KNOCKOUT PUNCH!
YOWRK!
FIGHTING BY HER SIDE, USING HIS STRENGTH AGAINST EVIL—PRINCE MENGU!
THIS IS ONE WAY OF RENDERING THE ANVIL CHORUS!
BONG
STEEL-THEWED FINGERS TIGHTEN! MASSIVE MUSCLES CRACK! FOR THE FIRST TIME IN HER LIFE, MOON GIRL IS HELPLESS IN A MAN'S HANDS! SHE IS LIFTED, SHAKEN, CHOKED...
VENUS AID ME! MY EARS ARE HAMMERING... MY HEART IS POUNDING... MY EYES ARE GETTING DIM...
AS THE LUNAR LADY MAKES A MOCKERY OF HER OPPONENTS, TWO HUGE HANDS SWEEP DOWN THROUGH THE AIR, FINGERS OUTSTRETCHED...
CRACK!
OOOOF!

NOTHING AS STRONG AS CYCLOPS! NOT EVEN *MOON GIRL!* SHE IS LIKE A DOLL IN MY MIGHTY HANDS!
LET THAT GIRL ALONE, YOU—!

UGGGH!
FOOL!

THE ONE-EYED MONSTER HEAVES THE HELPLESS GIRL OF MOONLIGHT THROUGH THE AIR! SHE CRASHES LIMP AND LIFELESS, AGAINST A WALL!
NOW...I KILL!
CRAASH!


MAGNIFICENT WORK, CYCLOPS! —WHEW—DON'T KNOW WHAT WE'D DO WITHOUT YOU! NOW WE'LL MAKE SURE OF HER WITH SOME BULLETS. THEN BE ON OUR WAY...

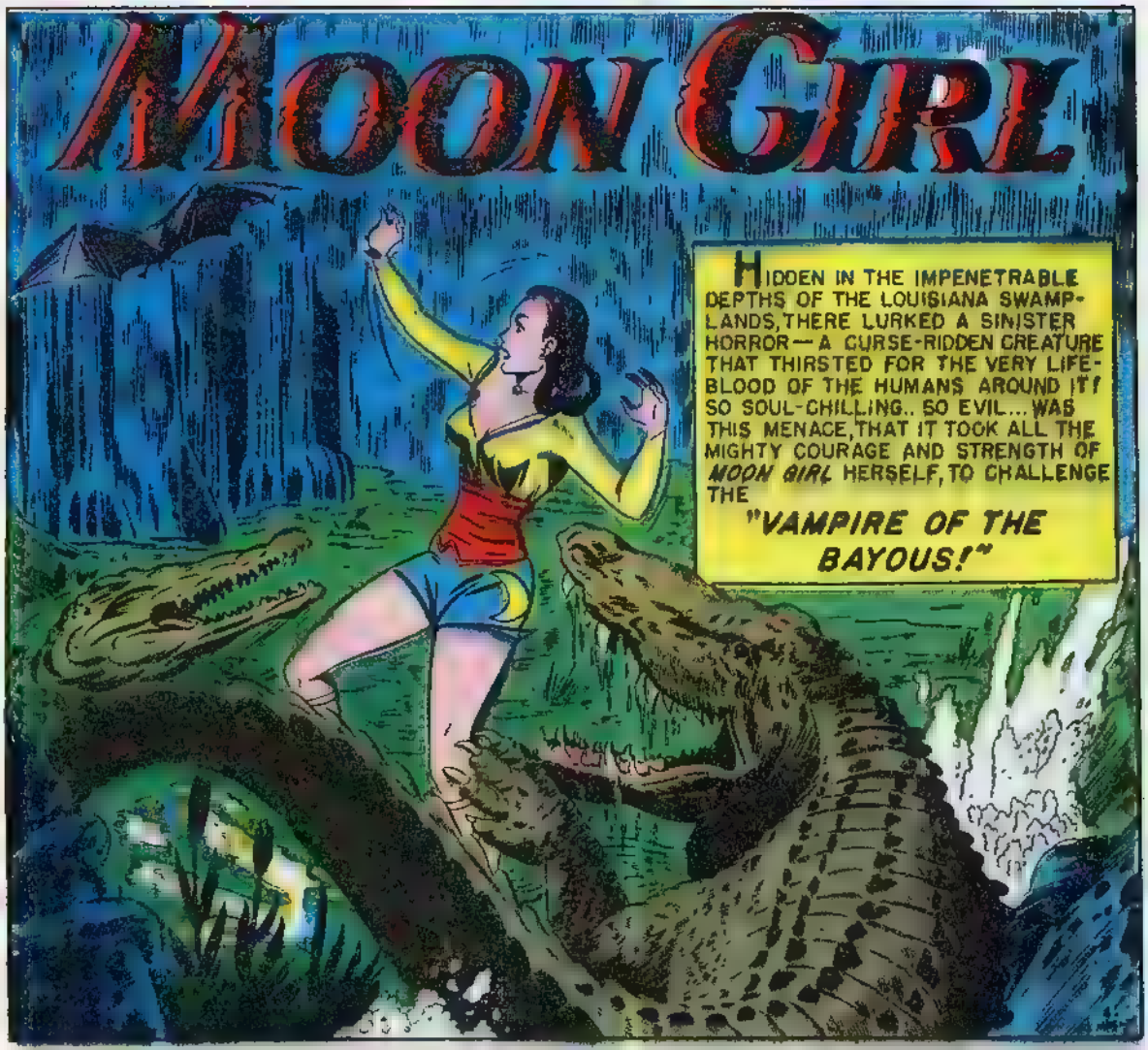

WITH HER LAST REMAINING STRENGTH, *MOON GIRL* SLIDES HER HAND ACROSS THE FLOOR TOWARD HER MOONSTONE— JUST AS HALF A DOZEN MOBSTER GUNS ROAR WITH FLASHING DEATH!
CRACK!
BANG!
BAM!

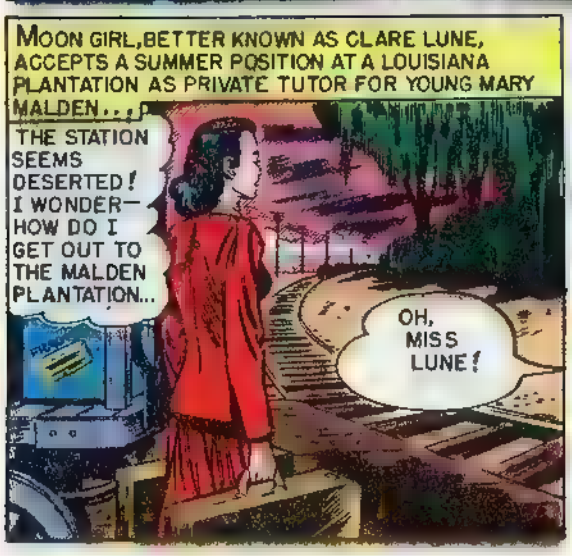
CYCLOPS, YOU AND I ARE THE GREATEST EXPONENTS OF CRIME NOW LIVING. MY BRAINS AND YOUR BODY—NOTHING CAN STOP US *WITH MOON GIRL DEAD!*

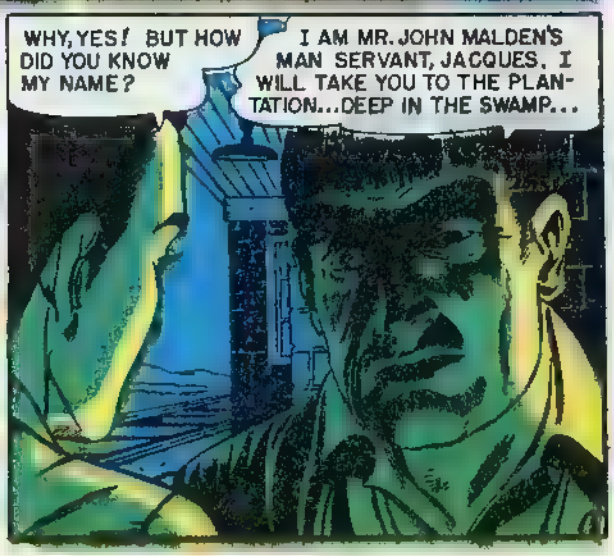
MINUTES PASS IN THE EMPTY JEWELRY STORE. AND THEN AS A PALE RAY OF MOONLIGHT FALLS ACROSS THE MOONSTONE, IT LIGHTS AND GLOWS...
NOT DEAD... MANAGED TO TOUCH THE MAGIC STONE JUST IN TIME IT STOPPED THE BULLETS NOW IT'S GIVING ME STRENGTH...
THEY'RE GETTING AWAY IN THEIR CARS. I HAVE TO GO AFTER THEM. BUT THE PRINCE... HE WAS HURT TRYING TO
GO ON, MOON GIRL. I'LL BE ALL RIGHT. JUST A FEW CRACKED RIBS WHEN I LANDED. IT'S MORE IMPORTANT... TO BRING THOSE RATS TO JUSTICE...
AN HOUR LATER, BY A DESERTED STRETCH OF BEACH, MOON GIRL STANDS IN THE SHADOW OF A TALL STONE BUILDING...
THEY'RE ALL INSIDE! BUT THEY WON'T BE IN THERE FOR
A FERVENT PLEA ON HER LIPS, THE LUNAR LADY CALLS ON THE POWERS OF THE MAGIC MOONSTONE TO AID HER SUPERHUMAN FEAT OF STRENGTH...
MY HANDS AND ARMS THE MAGIC
THE HUGE HOUSE ROCKETS DOWNWARDS! SINKS WITH A MAMMOTH SPLASH INTO THE COLD WATERS
SPLASH

HOOWWFFF!
VENUS AID ME!
NO FEMALE WILL EVER DEFEAT CYCLOPS!
I'LL WEAVE A FORCE FIELD WITH THE POWER OF THE MOONSTONE! IN THAT, HE CAN NEVER ESCAPE!

MOON GIRL


HIDDEN IN THE IMPENETRABLE DEPTHS OF THE LOUISIANA SWAMP-LANDS, THERE LURKED A SINISTER HORROR — A CURSE-RIDDEN CREATURE THAT THIRSTED FOR THE VERY LIFE-BLOOD OF THE HUMANS AROUND IT! SO SOUL-CHILLING.. SO EVIL... WAS THIS MENACE, THAT IT TOOK ALL THE MIGHTY COURAGE AND STRENGTH OF MOON GIRL HERSELF, TO CHALLENGE THE
"VAMPIRE OF THE BAYOUS!"

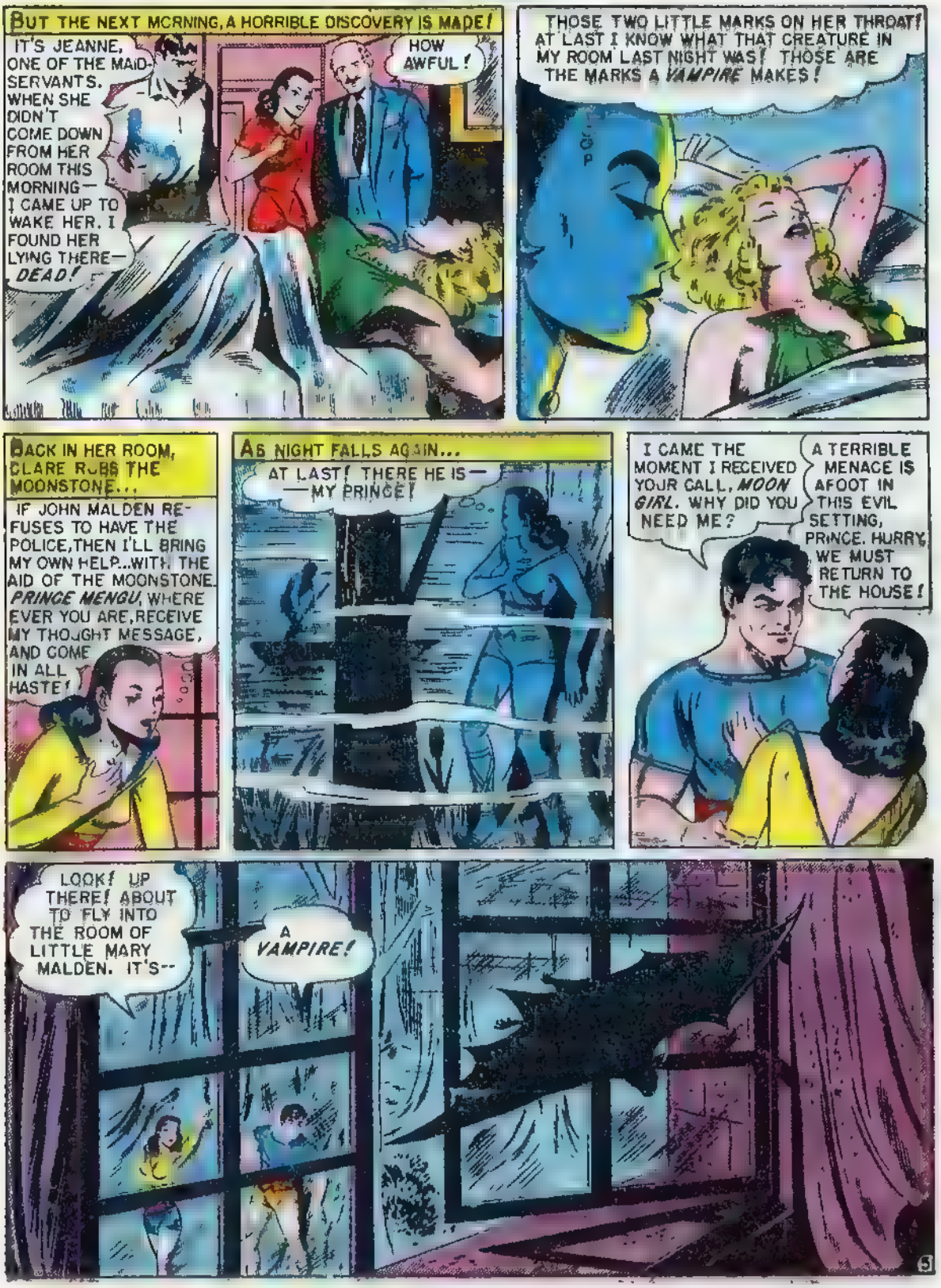

MOON GIRL, BETTER KNOWN AS CLARE LUNE, ACCEPTS A SUMMER POSITION AT A LOUISIANA PLANTATION AS PRIVATE TUTOR FOR YOUNG MARY MALDEN...
THE STATION SEEMS DESERTED! I WONDER— HOW DO I GET OUT TO THE MALDEN PLANTATION...
OH, MISS LUNE!


WHY, YES! BUT HOW DID YOU KNOW MY NAME?
I AM MR. JOHN MALDEN'S MAN SERVANT, JACQUES. I WILL TAKE YOU TO THE PLANTATION... DEEP IN THE SWAMP...

AS JACQUES PADDLES THE PIROGUE THROUGH THE BAYOUS
HOW FAR IS IT TO THE PLANTATION, JACQUES?
A FEW MILES. SOON YOU WILL MEET MR. WALDEN—AND HIS LITTLE GRAND-DAUGHTER, MARY, WHO WILL BE YOUR PUPIL.
CAREFUL, MISS LUNE!
SOMETHING'S HIT THE PIROGUE! WHAT IS IT, JACQUES?
ALLIGATORS! THE SWAMP IS FULL OF THEM.
HOW HORRIBLE! THEY MUST MAKE THE PLANTATION ALMOST INACCESSIBLE.
YES, FEW VISITORS COME TO MALDEN PLANTATION!! AND THAT IS A PITY.
...FOR IT IS A BEAUTIFUL OLD MANSION.
BEAUTIFUL? YES IT IS. BUT SOMEHOW, IT SEEMS EERIE AND MYSTERIOUS. I-I WONDER WHY!
PROBABLY JUST MY IMAGINATION! COME ON, JACQUES! I'D LIKE TO MEET MY NEW BOSS.
AS YOU SAY, MISS LUNE

WELCOME TO MALDEN PLANTATION, MISS LUNE. MARY, THIS IS YOUR NEW TEACHER.
I-I'M GLAD YOU'VE COME... NOW I WON'T BE SCARED, OR LONELY ANY MORE.
SCARED? BUT OF WHAT, MARY?
IT'S NOTHING, MISS LUNE. THE NATIVES TELL STORIES ABOUT THE OLD MANSION. THEY SAY IT'S HAUNTED, THAT EVIL THINGS HAPPEN HERE! SHE'S PROBABLY HEARD THEM TALK...
HAUNTED? EVIL THINGS HAPPENING? AS NIGHT FALLS, CLARE LUNE WONDERS...
I'D BETTER GET TO SLEEP. OTHERWISE, I'LL START TO IMAGINE ALL SORTS OF WILD THINGS.
BUT AS CLARE DOZES OFF, A SINISTER SHAPE APPEARS.
OHHHH!!
MY MAGIC MOONSTONE WARNED ME OF EVIL! BUT WHATEVER THE CREATURE WAS—IT ESCAPED THROUGH THE WINDOW. I-I MUST GET AFTER IT!
SWIFTLY, THE FAMED MOON GIRL SPRINGS TO THE PURSUIT!

IN THE FOREST
FAMILY BURIAL VAULT MIGHT HOLD A CLUE. IT'S LOCKED AND BARRED...
JUST ONE COFFIN IN THERE—
—AND IT'S EMPTY!
IT'S LATE, BUT I SHOULD WAKE MR. MALDEN AND TELL HIM—WHY, THERE HE IS!
MISS LUNE, I--ER--
I THINK WE SHOULD SEND JACQUES FOR THE POLICE!
NO! WE NEEDN'T DO THAT! IT-- MUST HAVE BEEN A BAD DREAM ON


BUT THE NEXT MORNING, A HORRIBLE DISCOVERY IS MADE!
IT'S JEANNE, ONE OF THE MAID-SERVANTS. WHEN SHE DIDN'T COME DOWN FROM HER ROOM THIS MORNING— I CAME UP TO WAKE HER. I FOUND HER LYING THERE— DEAD!
HOW AWFUL!
THOSE TWO LITTLE MARKS ON HER THROAT! AT LAST I KNOW WHAT THAT CREATURE IN MY ROOM LAST NIGHT WAS! THOSE ARE THE MARKS A VAMPIRE MAKES!
BACK IN HER ROOM, CLARE RUBS THE MOONSTONE...
IF JOHN MALDEN REFUSES TO HAVE THE POLICE, THEN I'LL BRING MY OWN HELP...WITH THE AID OF THE MOONSTONE. PRINCE MENGU, WHERE EVER YOU ARE, RECEIVE MY THOUGHT MESSAGE, AND COME IN ALL HASTE!
AS NIGHT FALLS AGAIN...
AT LAST! THERE HE IS— —MY PRINCE!
I CAME THE MOMENT I RECEIVED YOUR CALL, MOON GIRL. WHY DID YOU NEED ME?
A TERRIBLE MENACE IS AFOOT IN THIS EVIL SETTING, PRINCE. HURRY, WE MUST RETURN TO THE HOUSE!
LOOK! UP THERE! ABOUT TO FLY INTO THE ROOM OF LITTLE MARY MALDEN. IT'S--
A VAMPIRE!
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TOO LATE! HE'S ESCAPING THROUGH THE WINDOW!
THIS TIME HE MUST NOT ESCAPE! AFTER HIM!
AS THE VAMPIRE LEAPS OUT INTO SPACE, HE AGAIN ASSUMES THE FORM OF A VAMPIRE BAT!
THERE! HE'S GOING PAST THE BURIAL VAULT. THAT MUST BE HIS LAIR... BUT HE DARES NOT SEEK REFUGE THERE NOW!
BUT AS MOON GIRL AND PRINCE MENGU FOLLOW IN RELENTLESS PURSUIT, THE VAMPIRE LAYS A CUNNING TRAP.
WE'RE GAINING ON HIM, MOON GIRL. THERE HE—
BE CAREFUL, PRINCE! THAT TREE! LOOK OUT!
CRACK!
THE TREES! THEY'RE FALLING— KNOCKING US INTO THE ALLIGATOR POOL!
A TRAP HE LAID FOR US!
BUT CAN EVEN MOON GIRL'S GREAT STRENGTH AVAIL AGAINST THESE HUNGER-MAD DENIZENS OF THE BAYOU?
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MOON GIRL

THERE! TIME THESE REPTILES LEARNED A LITTLE RESPECT!
LOOK, MOON GIRL! THE MONSTER LAID THIS TRAP IN ADVANCE... SAWING THE TREE THROUGH, AND WINDING A CREEPER AROUND THIS STAKE TO HOLD IT.
TAKE THE STAKE, PRINCE. WE WILL NEED IT!
ONCE AGAIN THEY FLASH IN BLAZING PURSUIT. THEN...
NOW, PRINCE! PLUNGE THE STAKE THROUGH HIS HEART, THAT IS THE ONLY WAY TO KILL HIM!
EEEEEK!
LOOK! AS THE VAMPIRE'S LIFE EBBS AWAY, HE IS GRADUALLY RETURNING TO HIS HUMAN FORM. WHO WILL IT BE, MOON GIRL?
I AM AFRAID... THAT IT IS... JOHN MALDEN. BUT COULD ANY CREATURE BE SO BESTIAL... AS TO ATTACK ITS OWN GRANDCHILD?
NO! IT IS JACQUES — THE MAN SERVANT! SO HE WAS THE VAMPIRE! WITH HIS DEATH, PEACE WILL AGAIN RETURN TO MALDEN PLANTATION!
SO ENDS ANOTHER THRILLING EPISODE OF MOON GIRL AND THE PRINCE... AGAINST THE EVIL FORCES OF DARKNESS!

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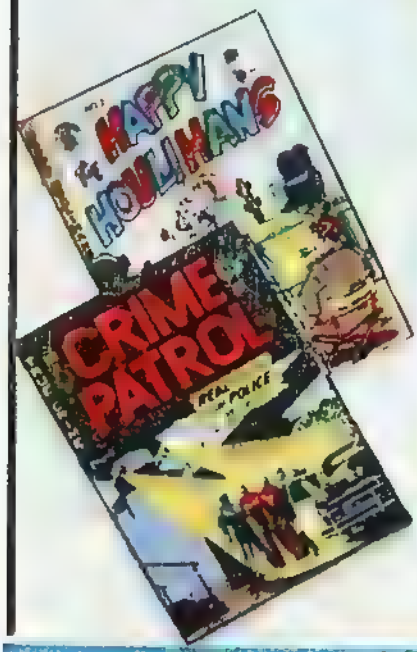
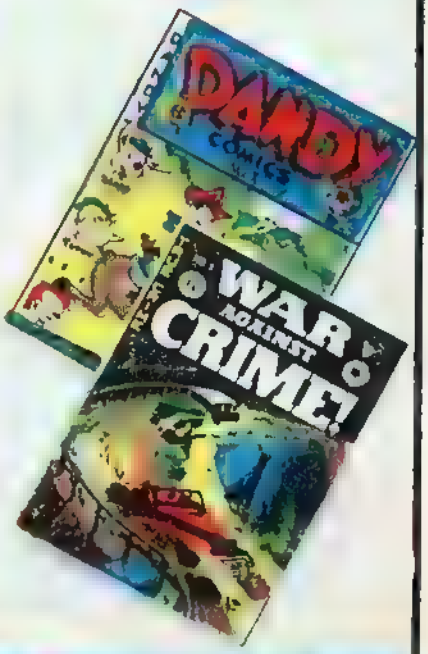




TOPS — ENTERTAINMENT!

FAT SLAT
WE'RE INVITED TO A BIG COCKTAIL PARTY FAT TO MEET THE NEW WESTERN STAR RAY RIDGES!
GEE SLAT I WISH I COULD BE A WESTERN STAR IN ONE OF YOUR PICTURES!
WELL CAN YOU YODEL?
NO!
THEN HOW COULD YOU BE A REAL WESTERN STAR? ALL COWBOY STARS KNOW HOW TO YODEL WHEN THEY SING A SONG!
LATER
WHAT DO YOU KNOW FAT? THERE ARE A LOT OF DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION HERE! LET'S CIRCULATE AROUND AND MEET SOME OF THEM!
OKAY, SLAT!
MRS MCERIE IS FROM OH O!
OBOY!
HOWDY
HOWDY
GEE FAT THAT WAS SOME PARTY WASN'T IT? DID YOU MEET THE OH O LADY?
OH O LADY WHO?
SAY, I THOUGHT YOU TOLD ME YOU COULDN'T YODEL!!!
!!?!!?!!

FAT and SLIM
FAT, I MUST GET UP EARLY AND BE ON THE SET BY 6 A.M. BUT YOU SLEEP JUST AS
5 A.M.
HEY WHAT ARE YOU DOING TO MY ALARM CLOCK?
I'M CUTTING THE BELL IN HALF SO IT WILL ONLY WAKE ONE OF US THE ONE WHO HAS TO GET UP—
THAT'S YOU!!
BONK!
ZIZ-ZZ
FAT and SLIM
GOES BACK TO LOUIS, THE FOURTEENTH!
ALL MINE TO MACY'S THE FOURTEENTH!
FLOP!

THE MENACE ON MARS!

CARMODY RAN through the deep, dry gully of the ancient Martian canal. His spaceboots made soft *pat-slap* sounds on the crumbly bricks and cement of the aged waterbed. They were after him, those queer dark things—the only form of life that the first Earthmen to the planet Mars had found.

Carmody skidded around a curve, leaped a pile of gravity-tossed red sand, and ran down the long and deep canal.

Somewhere out ahead of him was their spaceship in which Carmody and eight other scientists had set out for Mars a long time ago. It had taken them years, but now they were here. On Mars! How they'd laughed and played a couple of records on the wire recorder!

What a cruel joke fate had played!

The first men on the planet Mars had met the only type of man on Mars—and had lost! Earth was doomed, unless Carmody could escape and help those others. And escaping from those queer, rubberoid life forms would not be easy. They were almost superhuman. They did not breathe or eat or drink, and bullets just bounced off! Carmody sweated, running. Was there any way to stop them?

He remembered the first day he had seen a *plankth*, as the rubberoids termed themselves. He'd gone off from the spaceship with a pick and pack, to dig around some ancient ruins of the long-gone civilization of the canalers. Pausing between swings of his pick, he looked up suddenly; and there was the dark, manlike *plankth* scurrying across the red Martian desert, running so swiftly he could scarcely be seen. A chill went down Carmody's back. That thing out there was alive. And somehow—frightening!

He dropped his tool and began to climb the steep side of the ancient canal when five of the dark things came up from the other side and leaped for him. Carmody went for his Colt Army automatic. He pumped three bullets into the foremost of his attackers; saw the bullets bounce and ricochet. Then they were on him with their rubbery hands blasting his jaw and face, seizing his arms and legs, twisting them behind him.

Helpless in their grips, Carmody was carried across the red desert sands, beneath the two hurtling moons of Mars, Phobos and Deimos. The things ran easily, untiring.

They came to a long flat building made of red stone, blended into the dark red stone of the cliffs behind it. A door slid open, and Carmody was taken inside, where glittering engines and machines made a fantastic jungle of metal and glass and thin tubing. Here he was strapped into a chair, and a metal cup fitted over his head.

A rubberoid man stood before him. With the cup over his head, Carmody found he could understand his thoughts.

"Where are you from" What do you want on our planet?"

Carmody told him, discovered the *plankth* could read his thoughts. He explained they were scientists from the planet Earth.

In return, the *plankth* told Carmody that the *plankths* were the last forms of mankind on Mars. Most of their scientific endeavors had been spent in attempting to stay alive on the dying planet. Now they had succeeded and were ready to travel out across space, to other worlds

The spaceship from Earth was what the *plankths* needed. In return for that, the *plankths* would give Carmody and his scientists all Mars.

"But we'll die here!" Carmody protested in horror. "There's not enough atmosphere to keep us alive. We'd asphyxiate!"

The *plankth* shrugged, turned. More *plankths* were coming through the door, and with them, helpless, in their grasp, were the eight Earthmen. They, too, were strapped in chairs and the metal cups placed on their heads.

Carmody whispered to Jim Casey, the archaeologist, "They're going to steal the ship! If they land on Earth, they'll overrun it, make people slaves! Nothing can kill those babies! They have labs scattered all across the planet!"

Casey went white. He choked, "We — we've got to do something. What-what are they?"

"A scientific evolvement of man. Some kind of rubberoid cellular structure, that doesn't need food or drink or any air to stay alive! They can poison the atmosphere on Earth with chemicals, then when everybody's dead they'll move in, clear the atmosphere — and rule!"

Carmody frowned. There was an idea in the back of his head. A vague idea, just something he should remember, that might help him. Something from long ago, when he had been a student in chemistry at college. . . .

"Jim!" he whispered softly. "You can reach my wrists. Untie the knots. Hurry! I'm going to make a break for the ship. If I can get inside it, I think we'll get out of this jam, yet!"

Casey had freed him in half an hour. Carmody had waited, and when the door again opened he bolted, slammed a *plankth* aside and was out and speeding along the ancient canal-bed.

Now he was running up from the canal, across the red sands that stirred and shifted under his pounding feet. His oxygen-generator was thumping to feed his laboring lungs. But up ahead, glistening silver, was the long spaceship!

And then he saw the *plankths*, racing from one side of the cliffs, moving like black shadows across the desert. He had to hurry! Hurry! They'd get to the ship ahead of him if he didn't hurry!

Now he was beneath the big spacer. Then he was reaching for the metallic stairs, going up them. The door slammed open. Carmody drove across the room, into the white-walled lab. With trembling fingers he yanked down a giant spray-gun, swivelling its socket into a glass container. He lifted down chemicals, mixed them into the container.

The *plankths* were ripping open the spaceship door, diving for him.

Carmody swirled, depressed the plunger of the spray-gun.

A driving bolt of liquid met the rubberoid *plankths*. It splashed on them, hit and drove them back. Their muscles contorted in wordless agony. Great blackish drops began to run down their giant forms. Carmody slid his gun sideways, advancing, the shower of chemicals in front of him. The *plankths* were stumbling, blinded, falling back.

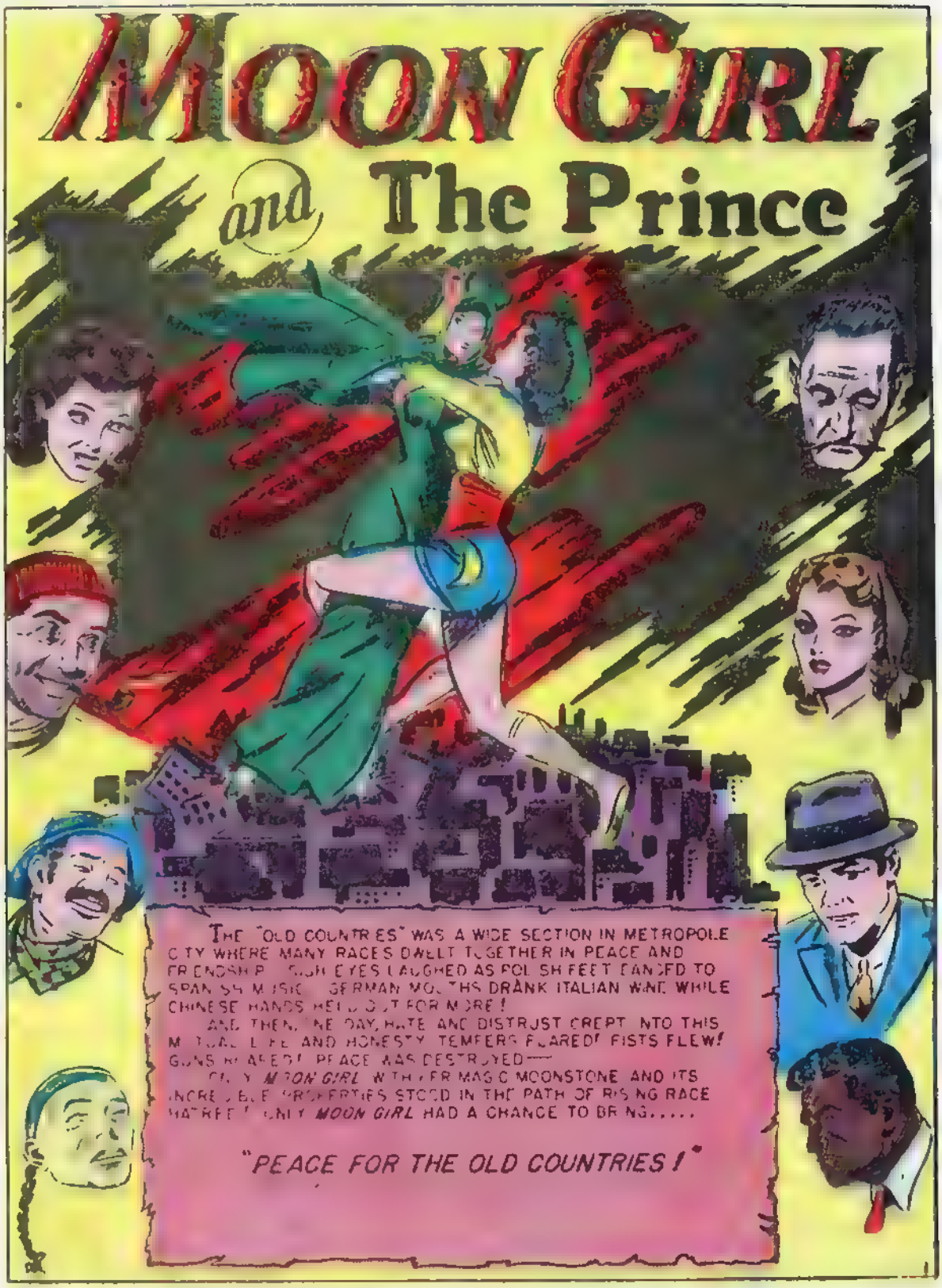
Carmody cried, "Maybe now you won't get to Earth! Maybe now I can get Casey and the other boys out of that lab! Now I have a weapon against you!"

The *plankths* fell back, writhing, dying as the liquid hit them. Carmody stepped over them, and out into the clear Martian night. He looked up into the sky, picked out the tiny spot of light that was the planet Earth.

Carmody whispered, "Thanks, Earth, for a chemistry lesson. Thanks for teaching me something that will save the Earth for human beings! Thanks—*for teaching me that benzol will dissolve rubber!*"

The End

MOON GIRL and The Prince



THE "OLD COUNTRIES" WAS A WIDE SECTION IN METROPOLE CITY WHERE MANY RACES DWELT TOGETHER IN PEACE AND FRIENDSHIP. SUN EYES LAUGHED AS POLISH FEET DANCED TO SPANISH MUSIC. GERMAN MOUTHS DRANK ITALIAN WINE WHILE CHINESE HANDS REACHED OUT FOR MORE!

AND THEN, ONE DAY, HATE AND DISTRUST CREPT INTO THIS MUTUAL LIFE AND HONESTY TEMPERS FLARED! FISTS FLEW! GUNS BLARED! PEACE WAS DESTROYED—

ONLY *MOON GIRL* WITH HER MAGIC MOONSTONE AND ITS INCREDIBLE PROPERTIES STOOD IN THE PATH OF RISING RACE HATRED! ONLY *MOON GIRL* HAD A CHANCE TO BRING.....

"PEACE FOR THE OLD COUNTRIES!"

DESTROY!
THEM—HATE!
LAUGH AT THE IRISH, THE GERMANS
CONDUCT?
YOU MEAN—THAT THE
ANYBODY ANY MORE. THERE ARE
-SOB- WE'RE ALL
SCARED

MOON GIRL

THAT NIGHT, IN THE REFLECTED BRILLIANCE OF HER MOONSTONE, CLAIRE LUNE, SCHOOL-TEACHER, BECOMES MOON GIRL!
MAGIC GEM OF THE MOON, I NEED YOUR HELP. AID ME TO FIND OUT WHY THE RAGE HATE IN THE 'OLD COUNTRIES' IS SUDDENLY FLARING UP!
MOON GIRL TOUCHES THE MOONSTONE TO AN OPAQUE SCREEN INSET IN THE WALL—
SATANA!!
SHE'S TORTURING SOMEONE! ASKING HIM TO DO SOMETHING...WHICH HE REFUSES!
VENUS GIVE ME THE SPEED TO GET THERE IN TIME TO HELP! MOON-STONE GRANT ME STRENGTH!
WITH THE GEM DANCING IN THE AIR AHEAD OF HER, MOON GIRL FOLLOWS THE PATH IT SHOWS!
LEAD ME TO SATANA!
IN HERE? IS SHE IN HERE? THAT DOOR IS THICK—REINFORCED WITH STEEL BARS
BUT IF IT HAS TO COME OFF—MARS GRANT ME STRENGTH TO DO IT!
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MEANWHILE, IN THE TORTURE CHAMBERS
YOU REFUSE, THEN, TO DO WHAT I ASK?
I WON'T SPREAD THOSE LIES. WON'T MAKE PEOPLE HATE EACH JUST BECAUSE THEY'RE DIFFERENT
YOU FOOL! THEN LEARN WHAT MY ANGER FEELS
MY ANGER FEELS
AIEEEEEEE!
WHAT CAN ONE WOMAN DO AGAINST US?
GRAB HER!
WITH ACROBATIC SKILL, THE MOON MAID TWISTS
WHILE IN MIDAIR, SHE LASHES OUT WITH RED LEGS!
POW!
THUD!

BY JUPITER! SATANA'S GETTING AWAY WHILE YOU DELAY ME!
YOU'RE GIVING HER A *HEAD* START--
POW!
HOW'S YOUR HEAD-ACHE?
CRACK!
WHAT DID SATANA WANT OF YOU?
SHE SAID I SHOULD START MORE RACE RIOT TROUBLE IN THE "OLD COUNTRIES"! SHE HAS SOME SCHEME TO MAKE MONEY OUT OF IT.
ALL THESE RECENT FIGHTS ARE HER FAULT. SHE PAYS THUGS TO START WHISPERING CAMPAIGNS OR BEGIN FIGHTS. IF SHE DOESN'T PAY THEM, SHE TORTURES THEM--AS SHE DID ME!
SHE'LL DO NO MORE TORTURING! I'LL SMASH THESE HORRIBLE THINGS FOREVER!
CRASH!
THERE! THIS PART OF THE TASK IS DONE!
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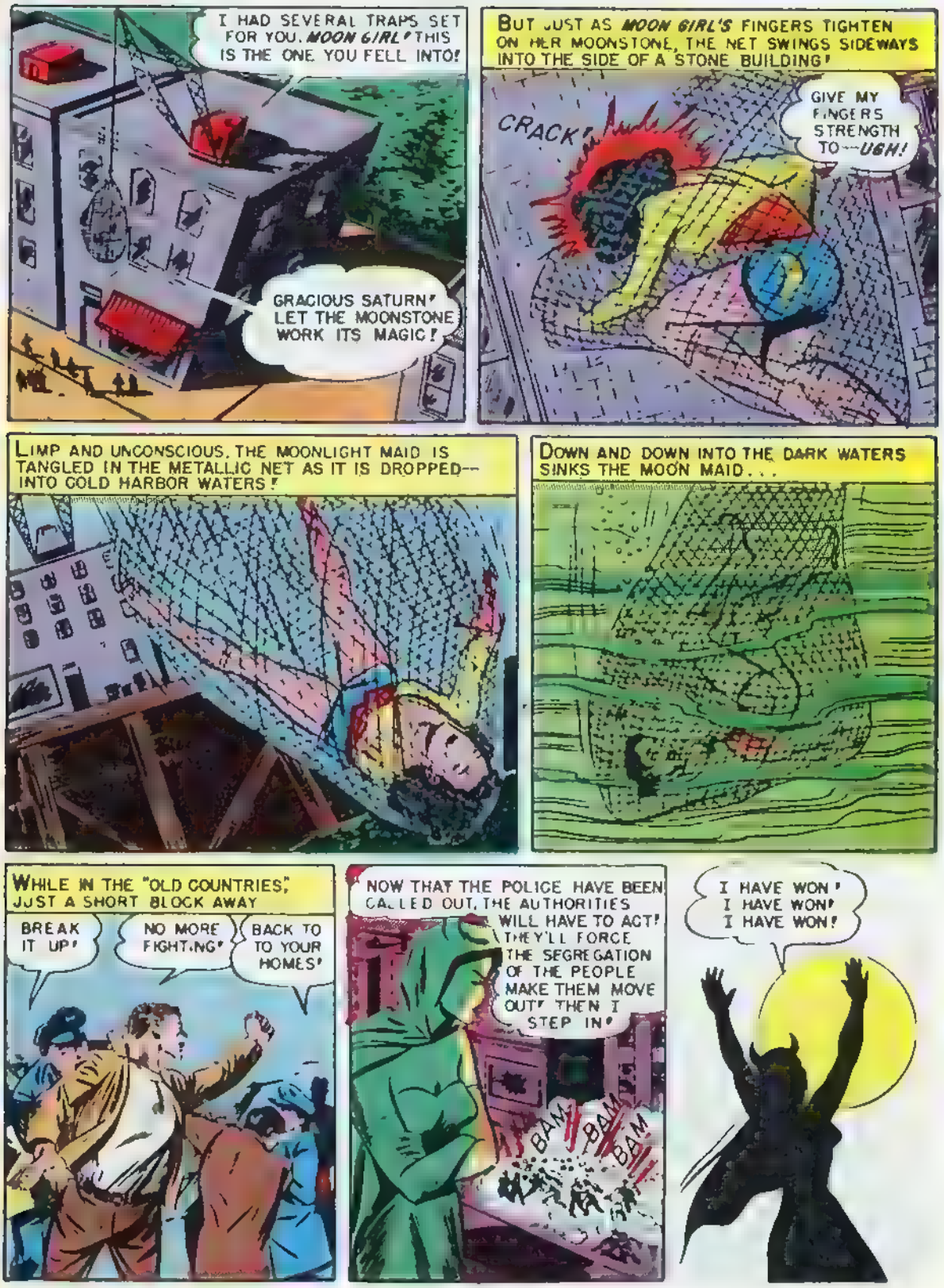
MOON GIRL

IN THE MEANTIME SATANA HAS RALLIED THE REMAINDER OF HER UNDERWORLD TROOPS
FOOLS! MOON GIRL AIN'T TOO MUCH ONE AT START A RIOT HERE! THAT—AND THE AUTHORITIES WILL HAVE TO ACT!
THEY'LL CONDEMN THE HOUSES! MAKE THE PEOPLE LEAVE IN CONDEMNATION PROCEEDINGS. THAT'S WHERE WE STEP IN WE BUY THE PROPERTY AT A SONG—AND WHEN THE SUBWAY SPUR IS PUT THROUGH,
WE'LL CLEAN UP!
BUT FIRST WE HAVE TO START RIOTS! MAKE THE PEOPLE SMASH PROPERTY IN THEIR HATE! ONCE WE DO THAT, MOON GIRL CAN'T STOP US BE OUT OF HER HANDS! NOW—GET MOVING!!
THROUGH THE TORTUOUSLY TWISTED STREETS OF THE OLD 'COUNTRIES' MOVES A FLOW OF MEN...
DOWN WITH THE POLES!
KILL THE SLAVS!
STICK UP FOR THE IRISH, WILL YA!
TAKE THIS—AN THIS!
FROM A SIDE STREET, RACING WITH THE SPEED OF MERCURY—COMES THE FLYING MAID OF THE MOON!
MERCIFUL PLUTO! AM I TOO LATE?
FROM ABOVE—
HA! HA! HA! TOO LATE INDEED MOON GIRL! THIS TIME—I HAVE WON!


I HAD SEVERAL TRAPS SET FOR YOU, MOON GIRL! THIS IS THE ONE YOU FELL INTO!
GRACIOUS SATURN! LET THE MOONSTONE WORK ITS MAGIC!
BUT JUST AS MOON GIRL'S FINGERS TIGHTEN ON HER MOONSTONE, THE NET SWINGS SIDEWAYS INTO THE SIDE OF A STONE BUILDING!
CRACK!
GIVE MY FINGERS STRENGTH TO--UGH!
LIMP AND UNCONSCIOUS, THE MOONLIGHT MAID IS TANGLED IN THE METALLIC NET AS IT IS DROPPED--INTO COLD HARBOR WATERS!
DOWN AND DOWN INTO THE DARK WATERS SINKS THE MOON MAID...
WHILE IN THE "OLD COUNTRIES," JUST A SHORT BLOCK AWAY
BREAK IT UP!
NO MORE FIGHTING!
BACK TO TO YOUR HOMES!
NOW THAT THE POLICE HAVE BEEN CALLED OUT, THE AUTHORITIES WILL HAVE TO ACT! THEY'LL FORCE THE SEGREGATION OF THE PEOPLE MAKE THEM MOVE OUT! THEN I STEP IN!
BAM
BAM
BAM
I HAVE WON! I HAVE WON! I HAVE WON!

HERSELF NUMB WITH SHOCK, HER FINGERS STIFF GASPING FOR AIR.. A RINGING IN HER EAR
MERCIFUL PLUTO!, HAVE TO GET AIR SOON OR--DIE! MOONSTONE. WHERE IS MY MOONSTONE?
NO USE . DON'T HAVE THE STRENGTH LEFT...TO BREAK THEM!
SAFE! AND NOW— SATANA!
LOCK THEM UP
TO HAVE THE 'OLD COUNTRIES' TAKEN OVER!
BUT TROUBLE LATELY!
A MOMENT, OFFICER!

I'LL HAVE TO MAKE THIS LAMPPOST UP TO THE AUTHORITIES -- BUT I NEED IT RIGHT NOW!
WE'LL SHOOT THE OFFICER AND THESE MEN IF YOU DON'T QUIT! --LOOK OUT!
MAYBE THIS LAMPPOST WILL HELP YOU SEE THE LIGHT!
OH NO, SATANA! YOU AREN'T GOING ANYWHERE --
EXCEPT TO JAIL!
MOON GIRL --WHAT'S SHE DONE?
THE TROUBLE IN THE OLD COUNTRIES HAS BEEN MY FAULT. I STIRRED IT UP WITH MY MUSCLE-MEN. I FOMENTED HATE AND FIGHTING. I WANTED TO FORCE THE AUTHORITIES TO TAKE OVER THIS SECTION SO THAT I COULD GET IT VERY CHEAPLY, THEN SELL IT TO THE SUBWAY CONCERN WHEN THE NEW SPUR IS PUT THROUGH!
I'LL TAKE THE REAL OFFENDERS TO JAIL!
YOU MEN COME WITH ME. WE'LL SPREAD THE NEWS THROUGH THE OLD COUNTRIES!
YOU BET I WILL!
SOME WEEKS LATER, AT A GIGANTIC BLOCK PARTY IN THE OLD COUNTRIES, MOON GIRL IS THE GUEST OF HONOR . . .
HURRAH FOR MOON GIRL! HURRAH! HURRAH!
THEY'VE LEARNED THAT WHEN ANYONE STARTS "RACE" TROUBLE, THAT PERSON USUALLY WANTS TO MAKE SOMETHING FOR HIMSELF FROM IT!
MOON GIRL
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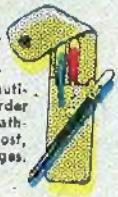

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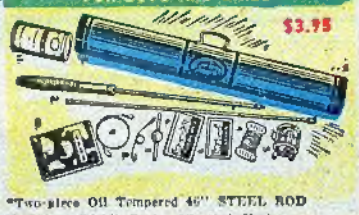

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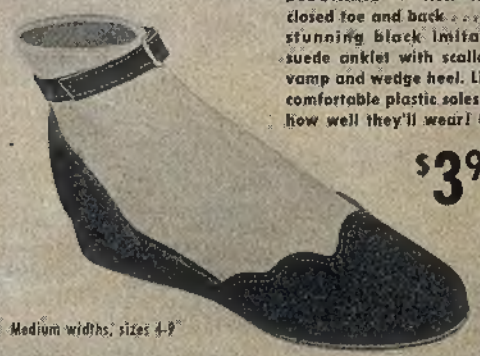

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